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PATENT APPLICATION

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 353-07

IN THE
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor(s): Harold R. Kaufman et al.

Serial No.: 09/848,644

Examiner: Holly R. Harper

Filing Date: May 3, 2001

Group Art Unit: 2879

Title: Improved Hall-Current Ion Source

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

- (x) Response/Amendment () Petition to extend time to respond
(x) New fee as calculated below (x) Supplemental Declaration
() No additional fee (Address envelope to "Box Non-Fee Amendments")
() Other: _____

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED BY | | | | SMALL ENTITY | | |
|--|--|------------------------|--|--|-------------|---------------------------|
| (1) FOR | (2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | (3) NUMBER EXTRA | (4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | (5) PRESENT EXTRA | (6) RATE | (7) ADDITIONAL FEES |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 14 | MINUS | 20 | = 0 | x | \$ 0 |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | 9 | MINUS | 8 | = 1 | x 43 | \$ 43 |
| [] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM | | | | | + | \$ |
| EXTENSION FEE | 1ST MONTH | 2ND MONTH | 3RD MONTH | 4TH MONTH | \$ | |
| | | | | TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT | | \$ 43 |

Respectfully submitted,

By

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Mail Stop Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT

Responsive to the Office Action mailed October 16, 2003,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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